

## **Public Notice – Environmental Project**

### **PURPOSE OF NOTICE:**

The Department of Environmental Quality seeks public comment on the state's response to the environmental aspects of a proposed project in Hanover County, Virginia.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD:**

August 9, 2013 to August 29, 2013

### **TYPE OF RESPONSE:**

Federal Consistency Certification

DEQ is reviewing a federal action to determine if it is consistent with the Virginia Coastal Zone Management Program (VCP) established pursuant to the U.S. Coastal Zone Management Act. The VCP seeks to protect the quality of air, water or other natural resources in Virginia's coastal area.

### **NAME OF AGENCY PROPOSING THE PROJECT:**

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

### **PROJECT DESCRIPTION:**

ECS Mid-Atlantic, on behalf of McGeorge Rolling Hills RV Center, submitted a federal consistency certification (FCC) for the proposed expansion of the center located in Hanover County. The project qualifies for a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (Corps) Individual Permit. The project site is approximately 14 acres of partially cleared land. The proposed project involves the construction of an additional service center and repair building as well as an expansion of the existing parking and display area. The FCC states that approximately 0.26-acre emergent wetland is proposed to be impacted. ECS Mid-Atlantic states that the project qualifies for a Corps Individual Permit because in the early 2000s a wetland permit was obtained for the larger development of the area (approximately 2.75 acres). The Corps is considering the proposed impact to the current wetland cumulative, which puts it above the threshold for requiring a permit. According to the FCC, the project will be consistent with the enforceable policies of the VCP.

### **HOW TO COMMENT:**

DEQ accepts comments from the public by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the comment period. The public may review the project documents at DEQ's central office in Richmond.

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